CHESS - PLAYERS' CONTEST

W. H. Ripley the Winner, with a Record of Ten Games Won and Two Lost.

Indiana Players Urged to Fill Their Quota in the National Tournament-Detailed Scores of the Leading Games.

The tournament of the Indiana Chess Association, at the Hotel English, closed last night. The meeting has been the most interesting of the series, and a very enjoyable one to both sontestants and visitors.

The question of who shall represent the State Association at the national tournament will now be settled by the result of three games between Mr. Ripley and the player who made the next highest score in the tournament, Dr. Leech, the latter having beaten the former In their tournament game.

The second prize, the scarf given by Paul H. Krauss, is awarded to Dr. T. F. Leech, and the third, the scarf-pin offered by Bingham & Walk, is captured by H. C. Brown, of Anderson. The consolation prize, the cane offered by P. L. Chambers, to the player losing the most games, goes to Major Gent, of Columbus, and the spesial prize of a box of cigars, offered by Chas. F. Meyer & Bro., to the player mating his adversary in the fewest moves, is carried off by Mr. Ripley. The standing of the contestants is shown by the subjoined score-sheet:

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Games lost	6	4	6	11	6	6	3	6	6	7	2	5	8	1.

(f) denotes games forfeited, under the rules, by players who could not remain until the close of Messrs. Mulkey and Over have their game yet to play, two attempts to do so having both resulted in draws.

The thanks of the association were voted to the proprietor of the Hotel English for courtelies and conveniences extended to the members and visitors throughout the tournament.

The next annual meeting and tournament will be held at Indianapolis, Feb. 22, 1800.

The time and place of the summer meeting this year will be determined by a committee consisting of the following members: W. H. Ripley, of Indianapolis, chairman; Dr. T. F. Leech, Dr. J. F. Wright, H. C. Brown and Professor E. Marquis, together with one member, each, from Marquis, together with one member, each, from the Evansville, Richmond, Fort Wayne and South Bend districts, to be added by the president. Both Columbus and Greencastle have extended hospitable invitations to the association to hold the meeting there.

A letter received from W. C. Cochran, of Cincinnati, president of the National and of the Ohio Chess associations, suggests that arrangements he made to play a team match, ten plays

ments be made to play a team match, ten playors on each side, between the Ohio and the
Indiana associations on the Fourth of July next,
at some place satisfactory to both sides. The
proposition will be considered and acted upon at
the early a date as possible. Mr. Cochran also
strongly urges the Indiana Association to fill its
quota of twenty members in the National Association, and to this end Indiana players are acsordingly invited to join by sending in their pames, accompanied by the amount of their membership dues, \$1, to Maj. J. B. Mulky, president of the Indiana Association, Bloomington, Ind.

Appended are the scores of a few of yester-day's games. First in order is an example of the Steinitz Gambit, which has been jocosely termed. The Faded Flower," because of the decay of its popularity after its author's ill-success in experimenting with it in the London tournament of 1882. The attack is brilliantly conducted by

ur. Elpley.	
STEINETZ GAMBIT (alia	s the "Faded Flower.")
WHITE.	BLACK.
W, H. Ripley.	P. Gnymon.
1P to K 4	1P to K 4
2-P to KB4	2P takes P
3Kt to QB3	3Q to R5 (ch)
4K to K 2	4P to Q 3
5P to Q 4	5B to Kt 5
6Kt to B3	6Q to K B 3
7.—Kt to Q 5 8.—K takes B	7.—B takes Kt (ch) 8.—Q to Q sq
9.—B takes P	9Kt to KB 3
10P to Q B 4	10P to K R 3
11Q to K 4 (ch)	11P to B 3
12.—Kt takes Kt	12Q takes Kt
13P to K 5	13P takes P
14.—P takes P	14Q to B 4
15P to Kt 4	15Q to K 3
16.—B to Q3	16Kt to Q 2
17B to B 5	17.—Q to K 2
18Q R to Q sq 19Q to B 2	18.—Kt to Kt 3 19.—Q to Q B 4
20B to K 3 (a)	20.—Q takes P
21B to Q 7 (ch)	21K to K 2
22B to B 5 (ch)	22K to Q sq
23B to Q 6 (dis. ch)	23Kt to Q4
24.—Q takes Q	24P takes B
25.—Q to Kt 4	25K to B 2
26.—B to Q 6	26R to Q 2
27Q takes Kt P, and w	ins.

(a) The key move of a well-masked and powerful mbination, resulting in the capture of the adverse

An obstinately contested game between Dr. Lewis and the champion during the past year:

GILIOCO	PIANO.						
WHITE.	BLACK.						
H. C. Brown.	Dr. E. R. Lewis.						
1P to K 4	1P to K 4						
2Kt to K B 3	2Kt to Q B 3						
3B to B 4	3B to B 4						
4P to Q B 3	4Kt to K B 3						
5P to Q 4	5P takes P						
6P to K 5	6P to Q 4						
7.—B to Q Kt 5 8.—P takes P	7Kt to K 5 8B to Q Kt 3						
9Q to Q 3	9.—Castles.						
10B takes Kt	10P takes B						
11Kt to Q B 3	11B to Q B 4						
12.—Q to K 3	12P to Q B 4						
13.—Castles 14.—Q Kt to K 2	13P to Q B 3 14Q to K 2						
15 Q to K B 4	15.—B to K 3						
16P to K R 3	16P to K B 3						
17Q to K 3	17K B P takes P						
18Kt takes P	18Q to Q 3						
19.—Kt to Q B 4 20.—Q takes Kt	19.—P takes Kt 20.—P takes P						
21B to K B 4	21Q to Q4						
22Q takes Q	22P takes Q						
23B to K5	23.—P to Q 6						
24.—Kt to Q 4	24.—B takes Kt						
25.—B takes B	25.—R to K B 5 26.—P to Q R 4						
26.—B to Q B 3 27.—K R to K sq	27.—R to K 5						
28P to K B 3	28R takes R						
29R takes R	29R to Q R 3						
30K to K B 2	30P to Q R 5						
31.—P to Q R 3	31K to K B 2						
32K to K 3 33K to Q 4	32.—B to K B 4 33.—B to K 3						
34.—K to K 3	34.—R to Q Kt 3						
35B to Q Kt 4	35P to KKt 3						
36K to Q 2	36R to Q Kt 4						
37K to 9 B 3	37P to K R 4						
38.—P to K R 4 39.—R to K 5	38.—R to Q Kt 2 38.—R to Q 2						
40K to Q 2	40R to Kt 2						
41B to Q B 3	41R to Q 2						
42K to K 3	42P to Q 5 (ch)						
43B takes B 44K to Q 2	43R takes B						
45.—R to Q R 5	44K to K B 3 45B to Q 2						
46P to K Kt 3	46 R to Q 3						
47R to Q B 5	47R to Q 5						
48P to K B 4	48R to K 5						
49.—K to Q B 3	49.—B to K 3						
50.—R to QR 5 51.—R takes QR P	50R to K 7 51R to Q B (ch)						
52K to Q 4	52.—P to Q 7						
53.—Resigns							
GUIOCO PIANO,							
WHITE.	BLACK.						

53.—Resigns	
GUIOCO	PIANO.
WHITE.	BLACK.
T. F. Leech.	H. C. Brown,
1P to K 4	1P to K 4
2Kt to K B 3	2Kt to Q B 3
3B to B 4	3B to B 4
4P to Q B 3	4Kt to K B 3
5P to Q 3	5.—P to Q 3
6Q to K 2	6.—Castles
7B to K 3	7.—B takes B
8Q takes B	8.—Q to K 2
9.—B to Kt 3 10.—B to B 2	9.—B to K 3 10.—Kt to Q 2
11Q Kt to Q 2	11.—P to B 4
12P takes P	12.—Btakes P
13.—Castles	13.—K to R sq
14Kt to K 4	14B takes Kt
15P takes B	15R to B 5
16R to Q sq	16P to Q Kt 3
17K to R sq	17Q R to K B sq
18Kt to Kt sq	18Kt to B 4
19Kt to R 3	19R (fr. B 5) to B 3
20P to B 3	20Kt to K 3
21.—R to B 2	21.—Kt (fr B 3) to Q sq
22Q to Q 3	22.—Kt to B 5 23.—R takes Kt
23.—Kt takes Kt 24.—Q to R 6	24.—P to B 4
25Q to Q 3	25Kt to B 2
26B to Kt 3	26R to B 3
27R (fr. B 2) to Q 2	27P to K R 3
28Q to K 2	28Q to B 2
29.—B to B 4	29Kt to Kt 4
30R to Q 3	30R to Q sq
31R (fr. Q sq) to Q 2	31R to Q Kt sq
32P to Q R 4	32R to K B eq
33Q to Q aq	33Kt takes P
34.—R to R 2	34Kt to Kt 4
85.—B to Q 5	35.—Kt to K 3

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36.—B takes Kt	36.—R takes B
37.—P to Q R 3	37R (fr. K 3) to B 3
38.—P to Q B 4	38.—R to Q sq
39.—R takes K P	39.—R to B 5
40P to Q Kt 3	40.—R to Q 5
41.—R to Q 5	41.—R takes R (at Q 3)
42.—Q takes R	42.—Q to K 2
43K to R 2	43Q to Q 2
44.—P to Kt 3	44.—Q to K 2
45K to Kt 2	45Q to B 3
46P to B 4	46Q to K 3
47P to K Kt 4	47Q to B 3
48K to Kt 3	48P to Kt 3
49.—P to R 4	49K to Kt 2
50P to KR 5	50.—P takes P
51P. takes P	51R to KBsq
52.—R to B 5	52.—Q to K 2
53.—R takes R	53.—Q takes R
54K to B 3	54Q to B 2 (a)
55Q takes P	55Q to B 3
56Q takes Q	56K takes Q
57K to K 4	57K to K 3
58.—P to B 5 (ch)	58K to B3
59K to B 4	59.—P to R 3
60K to K 4	60Q to Kt 4
61B P takes P	61.—Resigns
	3 was the move intended.

Showing how hap-hazard defenses to the

ery to result in spec
T'S GAMBET.
BLACK.
G. G. Tague.
1—P to K 4 2.—P takes P. 3.—B to K 2 4.—P to Q 3 5.—B to K t 5 6.—K to B sq 7.—R takes B 8.—B takes Kt 9.—B takes P (ch) 10.—P to K t 4 11.—Kt to B 3 12.—K to K sq 13.—K to Q 2 14.—K to K sq 15.—K to B sq 16.—Q to K sq
17.—Q takes Q

Result of the Connersville Checker Contest. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Dec. 28 .- The checker tournament ended yesterday. The visiting players won 142 games and lost 158. Greensburg players won 195 games and lost 145. Shelcutt, of this city, won 54 games, lost 10, with 17 draws; Mundelle, of Connersville, won 63, lost 73, with 54 draws; Logan, of Rushvile, won 47, lost 43, with 27 draws: Furgeson, of Connersville, won 28, lost 34, with 26 draws. Several others ranged but a little lower. Shelcutt, Goddard and Thurman were the only players who lost no scores of ten games each.

YOUNG PEOPLES' METHODIST UNION.

An Interesting Discussion Concerning Best Means to Accomplish Desired Results.

The Young Peoples' Methodist Union, the local branch of the Methodist Alliance, held a very large and interesting session at the Meridian-atreet M. E. Church, last night. All the Methodist churches of the city were well represented in the crowded audience, and eight ministers of the drnomination took part in the meeting. The subject under special discussion by the alliance for the evening was "Revival Methods," with special regard to young people's aid in these religious awakenings. It was divided into three subdivisions, meeting the conditions during the evolution of that peculiar movement named, by common consent, "a revival." The first, concerning "Outside Work," was treated by J. B. McNeely, of Hall-place Church. He said the premise always necessary to such work was faith, prayer and perfeet consecration of the active workers of a church, after which, being ready, they must go out among their friends everywhere, on the streets, in stores, shops, wherever they meet them, and talk of the great movement approaching with perfect confidence, and invite them tol come. The revival spirit is catching and men will always go where there is a crowd, so that soon everybody will become aroused in dead earnest, and God works his changes in men's bearts. A discussion of some length followed this paper, in which Rev. Drs. Woodruff and Keen, and Mr. Rossiter, of the Y. M. C. A., took part. Miss Anna Todd, of the Central-avenue Church, then spoke on "Inside Work," giving some of the most prac, tical thoughts of the evening, in a clear-succint manner, using no notes of any kind. This young woman has evidently had some actual experience in the work of which she talked. The great tie through which people's hearts were to be reached is love, she said. Revival workers are in the habit of making the subject of Christian solicitude too conspicuous in a public assembly by going and sitting down beside them, and commencing to talk to them about their sins, and the path to salvation, right before all the people. This makes them feel as if they were being looked upon as the blackest of transgressors often, and they resent the treatment, though them under the influence of their conversation. The and presence, they should sit down by them before the meetings commenced that the act may not draw all eyes to the spot. In the discussion following Dr. Keen disagreed somewhat from the latter view, saying that a young man once told him he had been led to conviction and conversion from a lovely young woman taking her seat beside him to talk of spiritual things. The very moment she took her seat he began to feel "queer," he said, which, perhaps, is not to be wondered at. The Rev. A. A. Jones then spoke

at some length on "After the Revival, What?" and an interestnig discussion followed, in which all the ministers took an active part. At the close of the meeting delightful refreshments were served to the large number of guests in the parlor of the church, and a social of half an hour's duration followed.

BACK TO THE PENITENTIARY.

Charles Van Zandt, Just Out of Prison, Wil Serve Another Term.

Charles Van Zandt, who was arrested two weeks ago at the gates of the Wisconsin penitentiary, in which he had finished a term of two years for bigamy, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years more by Judge Woods last evening for using the mails for fraudulent purposes. He is a noted criminal, and for many years before he was captured gave the federal authorities a great deal of trouble. About four years ago he, with another swindler, tearning that John N. Smith, a Nebraska commercial traveler, was on an eastern trip, telegraphed to Mrs. Smith, under her husband's name, from Hammond, Ind., for \$20. The money was sent, and Van Zandt cashed the postoffice order. An effort was made to arrest him then, but he escaped and went to Wisconsin, where he fell into the hands of the officers for bigamy. In the meantime an indictment vas returned against him in the United States Court here. He pleaded guilty, and begged the judge to let him off with a light sentence, saying he would rather die than go back

Isaac Humphreys, a colored man, pleaded guilty before Judge Woods last evening to having voted illegally, and he was fined \$10, and sent to jail for sixty days. The evidence showed that he committed the crime in ignorance. He had been living in the first precinct of the Eighteenth ward until a few days before the election, and he voted in the precinct to which he had just moved.

The City's Bonds Accepted. City Attorney Taylor received a telegram from Winslow, Lanier & Co., of New York, yesterday, stating that the \$110,000 in bonds issued by the city were accepted, and had been placed at 4 per cent. interest. The city will save about \$3,000 annually by the refunding of the loan.

Policeman Fatally Shot. CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Policeman Luke Burk, after being shot three times and fatally wounded, to night, gave chase to his assailant, Thos. Reynolds, a brickmaker, and brought him down with two bullets. One of Reynolda's shots wounded a Mrs. Williams, but not seriously. Officer Burk had been detailed to arrest Mrs. Williams's husband on a charge of wife beating. Reynolds, who had been druking heavily, and who had a grudge against Burk, happened along, and without a word, commenced shooting, while the policeman, with his back turned, was knocking at Williams's door. Williams may recover. The alleged wife-beater gave himself up and was placed in prison.

Rumored Resignation of New York's Post-

New York, Dec. 29 .- The World says it is reported on good authority that Postmaster Pearson, of this city, has resigned.

"It's only a question of time," and a short time, too, as to when your rheumatism will yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it

MINOR CITY MATTERS.

To-Day's Doings. HARRISON HOME CLUB MEETING-Criminal Court Room, evening. COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS-Dennison House, 10 MEETING OF CITIZENS OPPOSED TO MONON ORDINANCE-Van Sickle's Hall, evening. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-Rosina Vokes, afternoon

ENGLISH'S OPERA-HOUSE-"Shadows of a Great City," afternoon and evening. PARK THEATER-"The Ruling Passion," afternoon and evening. BATTLE OF ATLANTA CYCLORAMA-Market street, between Illinois and Tennessee streets, day and evening.

Local News Notes. The Concordia Society will have its annual Chrismas tree at Reichwein's Hall on Sunday

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Richard S. Beavens and Adda H. Keller, Ed-ward W. Little and Emma Hanlein.

The will of Barbara Kiefer was probated yesterday. By its terms all her property is left to her son, Andrew Kiefer. There will be an important business meeting of Post B, of the Travelers' Protective Associa-

tion, on Saturday evening, at 7:30, at the Grand Ida Long, charged with perjuring herself by making a false affidavit for a marriage license, will have a preliminary hearing before the

Mayor this morning. A special meeting of the Traveling Passenger Agents' Association has been called to meet at the New Denison at 10 A. M. next Saturday, to arrange for the next annual meeting.

The Sunday temperance meeting of Meridian W. C. T. U. will be held at the United Presby-

terian Church to-morrow evening instead of afternoon. Col. Ritter and others will speak. Fred Brandt and John Smith have been arrested on grand jury warrants charging them with petit larceny. The former is charged with stealing corn and the latter with taking wheat. In the Criminal Court, yesterday, Michael Donahue, Frederick Stinson and Albert Beard were tried and convicted of stealing machinery. They were each fined \$1 and committed to the work-house for sixty days.

Well-located real estate in this city begins to sell at prices which compare favorably with those of 1872, when the boom was on. Yester-day A. A. Barnes purchased two lots on the southwest corner of Meridian and Ninth streets having a frontage on Meridian street of eighty-six feet for which he paid \$85 per front foot. He purposes in the spring to erect a fine residence

Personal and Society.

Miss Grace Stiles is visiting friends in Louis-

Miss Nellie Craig has gone to Louisville to visit relatives. Miss Branham, of St. Louis, is the guest of

Governor Gray's family. Miss Carrie Farquhar has gons to St. Louis to spend a few weeks with friends. Miss Dora Brahan, of St. Louis, is visiting at

the tesidence of Governor Gray. Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Lewis have returned from Attica, where they spent Christmas with friends. Mr. George Wood, of Pittsburg, is visiting Miss Jessie Dailey on North Pennsylvania street. Mrs. Mary Lewis, for years cashier at the Original Eagle clothing-house, has removed to

Superintendent Lou Aiken, of the land de-partment of the State Auditor's office, is laid up with typhoid fever.

Mr. C. H. Greenstreet is home from Ann Arbor College to spend the holidays, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Wharton.

The engagement is announced of Mrs. Ralph Tousey, formerly of this city, to a prominent gentleman of New York State. Misses Mary and Adele Wallick will entertain the German Club next Friday night at their home on North Meridian street.

Mrs. Quincey A. Myers, of Logansport, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cornelius, on North Meridian street. Mr. and Mrs. James Burgess, formerly Miss Arlina Landers, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Landers on North Pennsylvania street.

Miss Vertina Grinten, of Louisville, Ky., will arrive in this city Monday to become the guest of Miss Voss, at the Bates House, for several

days. Miss Mary Murry, of this city, and Mrs. Chas. Bueby, of Lebauon, Ind., started for Riverside, Cal., on the 26th, where Miss Murry will make

Miss Martina Grubbs, of Harrodsburg, Ky., is expected here next week. to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Enrique Miller, on North Delaware street.

Mr. Henry C. Marshall, of Dayton, O., spent several days of Christmas week with his sisters, Mrs. C. W. Phillips and Mrs. I. W. Livezey, of No. 306 North Delaware street. Mrs. E. L. Wickham is visiting her cousin, Mrs. C. W. Jenkins, of 766 North Pennsylvania

street. Her daughter, Miss Madge Wickham, the noted violinist, will be in the city on Satur-The Central W. C. T. U. will keep open house on New Year's day from 2 to 5 P. M., at 68 North Pennsylvania street, to receive reformed

men who have signed the temperance pledge under Mr. Murphy.

Cards have been received by friends, here, from Senator and Miss Voorhees for Friday evening, Jan. 4, from 9 to 12 o'clock, to meet Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart Voorhees, formerly Miss Fannie Vajen, of this city, at their home, No. 1642 Twenty-first street, Washing-The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Church

met yesterday with Mrs. Charles Magnire, on North Mississippi street. These gatherings are called missionary teas, and each member carries some work, and when completed it is sold and the amount realized goes into the fund for the benefit of the society. Rev. Henry Dale, of Chicago, a noted evangel-

ist, and president of the Methodist Young People's Alliance, en route to Delaware, O., where he is to begin a series of revival meetings, Jan. 6, is in the city, the guest of Dr. Keen, and will preach to-morrow at Roberts Park. He is accompanied by Jesse Underwood, the boy singer, who is a fine vocalist. They will probably remain and hold service twice a day the most of next week, and assist in the watch-night service Monday night.

The following ladies will keep open house and receive calls, at the Young Men's Christian Association, on New Year's day, from 4 until 9 P. M.: Mesdames Ralph Hill, C. Williams, C. H. Gillett, Dr. Gilbert and daughter, Mansfield, Wilson, A. M. Noe, N. A. Hyde, J. B. Roberts, E. D. Grover, H. C. Farrow, Bradbury, Frank Blanchard, McConnel, J. J. Harrison, Geo. W. Taylor, O. H. Miller, C. D. Meigs, H. H. Fulton, Whitehead, Dr. Jeffery, Paul and daughter and young ladies, Dr. Woodburn, Gallahue and daughter. Wade, Douglas, Burt, Misses Mary Altland, Lewis, Anna Hough, Maggie Singleton, Emma Reeves, Mary Perry, Ella Hinkston, of Philadelphia, Jennie Hesse.

Miss Elizabeth New gave a very pretty german last evening in honor of Miss Nellie Huston, of Connersville, and Miss Zella Leathers. The guests were invited at 5 o'clock, shortly after which time the dancing began. The figures were led by Miss New and Mr. Ed Wood, and Miss Huston and Mr. Ed Seguin. The favors were dainty. One new figure, the lady or the tiger, was introduced, and the favors were disc pin-cushions. Holly was the appropriate Christmas decoration. After refreshments the dancing was not confined to figures. The costuming of the young ladies was exceedingly tasteful, and the young men, with their coats covered with favors, had the appearance of belonging to some order. The company included Mrs. Blanchard, Miss Kate Figgatt, Miss Nannie Elston, of Crawfordsville, Miss Lucy Calkins and friend, Miss Biddle, Miss Eva Austin, Miss and friend, Miss Biddle, Miss Eva Austin, Miss Lorene Carnahan, Miss Catharine Stone, Miss Julia Landers, Miss Laura Ritzinger,
Miss Laura Bryner, Miss Elma Comley,
Miss Maud Landers, Miss Rowena
New, Mr. Samuel Miller and friend, Mr. Brandt, Mr. Wallace Duncan, Mr. Ernest Morrison, Mr. Booth Tarkington, Mr. Frank Murphy, Mr. Preston Kelsey, Mr. Arthur Grover, Mr. Laz Noble, Mr. Walter Puterbaugh, Mr. William Landers, Mr. John Butler, Mr. Landis, Mr. Rick Hord, Mr. Horace Hord and Mr. James Leathers.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

At Williamsburg, Clermont county, Ohio, Miss Mary Dwyer, living with her brother, was burned to death on Wednesday. Her clothing caught from the grate and she ran to the yard, where she fell. She died in a few hours. On Wednesday afternoon the nineteen-year-

old son of Henry Sheets, dairyman, who lives two miles east of Muncie, mysteriously left home and has not been heard from since. He went to Muncie, but the entire police force has been unable to find him. On Thursday evening, William Patton, aged sixteen, adopted son of John Penn, a farmer residing near Granite, Baltimore county, Mary-

land, was accidenly shot by a companion named John Dietz. The weapon was a shotgup. Pat-

ton received the entire charge in his neck and died instantly. Taylor Carey, a colored patient in the Freed-

men's Hospital, at Washington, D. C., yesterday shot and killed his brother Isaac, who was employed as a nurse in the same hospital. The imediate cause of the murder was the failure of Isaac to turn over \$1.25 which had been given him for his sick brother.

Prof. Paul Combs, a number of the faculty of the Maryland Agricultural College, was drowned yesterday while duck-hunting at Breton's bay. His mother saw the accident from the shore, but having fainted, failed to render any assist-

John H. Stopford, of New York, for the past three years receiving teller of the Nineteenthward National Bank, was held for trial for appropriating \$1,300 of the bank's money to his own use. The charge is made by Samuel H. Rathbone, president of the bank, to whom Stopford made a confession.

Pietro Daniravo, an Italian brigand, who, two rears ago, murdered the Marquis Ginlio Sanduzzi while robbing his house at Torella, Italy, was arrested last night by Inspector Byrnes's men at Stamford, Conn. Late last evening he was locked up at New York police headquarters. The scaffold awaits him in Italy.

A dispatch from Jackson, O., says that Wesley Nail was shot and instantly killed by a woman, into whose house he was trying to force himself. He was intoxicated and had been refused admission, and was trying to break down the door when the woman, whose name is Troy, shot through the door and killed him instantly. Phillip Knochel, of Fairburg, Livingston county, Illinois, died yesterday at the city hospital of Jersey City. He was on his way to re-visit Switzerland, and fell from an Erie railroad train at Coshocton, N. Y., on Wednesday. He was unable to speak English and could not make known how he was hurt. The authorities have telegraphed to Fairburg. The body is at Speer's morgue, Jersey City.

THE LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

Object of the Chicago Meeting Said to Be Another Effort at Compromise with the "Q."

CHICAGO, Dec. 28 .- A convention of locomotive engineers, representing the Brotherhood west of the Mississippi, commenced a two-days' session in this city to-day. There were numerous reports as to the object of the gathering, but the delegates themselves declared that the only purpose in view was to establish closer relations between the ten thousand engineers employed in the West and Southwest, and to solidify as much as possible the organizations in that part of the country. The meeting was held in Ryan's Hall, and there were about 200 delegates present. The proceedings were secret, and the greatest care was taken to prevent anything from leaking out after the adjournment. It is understood, however, that the sessions to-day were taken up principally with routine matters, and that all business of importance was laid over until to-morrow. There seems to be little room for doubt, if outside gossip counts for anything, that the real movement is to devise a new plan of campaign in behalf of the strikers on the "Q." The first step most favored, apparently, is to have an entirely new committee wait upon the "Q" officials and en-deavor once more to effect a compromise if possible. The grievance committee appointed at the Richmond convention to try to bring about a settlement of the big strike held a private ses-sion this afternoon. The committee is composed of nine engineers, and it is said that they are all cool-headed, intelligent men, who are opposed to any radical measures unless as an extreme resort. Chairman Cavanagh participated in the deliberations of the committee. The best information to-night was that he, with the other committeemen, would be the envoys to the Burlington officials, and that the visit to the company's representatives would be made some time to-morrow.



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Indications. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- For Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin-Fair: warmer: winds

becoming southwesterly.

For Minnesota and Dakota—Fair; stationary temperature, followed on Saturday by slightly colder: variable winds. For Iowa-Fair; followed by warmer weather and light rains in the south.

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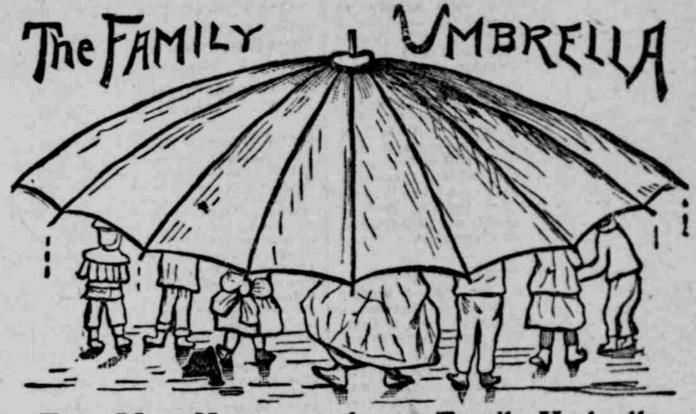
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T-Trace of precipitation. Note-One inch of melted snow equals ten inches of snow.

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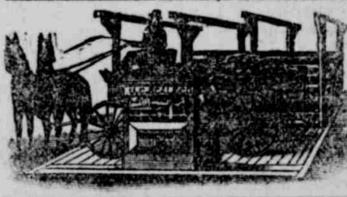
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